(c) and (d) Yes, Sir, the reasons for delay include constraints of resources, and problems in land acquisition.

Memorandum submitted by Depot Kamgar Union Jabalpur

3034. SHRI SAMAR MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a memorandum dated 27th October, 1988 from Depot Kamgar Union, Jabalpur has been received by the Adjutant General, New Delhi;

(b) whether the memorandum contains complaints of alleged irregularities in the selection of candidates for appointment in the COD, Jabalpur; if so, the details of the complaints; and

(c) whether a high level enquiry has been ordered into the complaints; if not, the reasons thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION AND SUPPLIES IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI CHINTAMANI PANIGRAHI): (a) to (c) A memorandum has recently been received alleging procedural irregularities in the recruitment of civilian personnel in COD, Jabalpur. Army Headquarters are looking into the allegations contained therein.

Implementation of Section 30 of the Advocates Act

3035. SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in several conferences and meetings of lawyers, including the Bar Federation of Tamil Nadu and Pondicherry, resolution have been passed in the past requesting the Central Government to bring into force Section 30 of the Advocates Act, which was passed in 1961 and had received the assent of the President; and

(b) if so, what action Government have taken in this regard and the reasons for not bringing it into force so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI HANSRAJ BHARDWAJ): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The question of bringing section 30 of the Advocates Act into force is under consideration of the Government.

"Teaching allowance" to teachers of Ordnance Factory Schools

3036. SHRI SAMAR MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the 'teaching allowance' of Rs. 100/- has been granted to teachers attached with Railways and other Government departments as recommended by the Chattopadhyaya Commission;

(b) whether Government are considering grant of said allowance to Teachers of Ordnance Factory Schools; and

(c) if so, when?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION AND SUPPLIES IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI CHINTAMANI PANIGRAHI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The proposal is under consideration in consultation with Ministry of Finance (Department of Expenditure) and a decision is expected to be taken very early.

Pre-medical entrance examination

3037. SHRI SHIV PRATAP MISHRA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to conduct pre-medical entrance examination organised by CBSE in regional laguages; if so, the details of the decision; and

(b) if not, the reasons therefor?